

# Monthly Inspection for Hansen Protection vacuum packed survival and immersion suits



This instruction is intended for use by onboard personnel, only for monthly inspections.

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## **1** Monthly inspection

Hansen Protection vacuum packed immersion and survival suits are to be inspected monthly by onboard personnel according to MSC/Circ.1047. A visual inspection shall ensure that a damaged product will be sent to a Hansen Protection approved service center.

Manufacturers' recommendation for the inspection is:

- Check that outer bag is without damage
- Check that cover plastic wrapping is without damage
- Check that vacuum foil is without damage
- Check that foil label shows same mark and size as outer bag
- Check that "next service date" is not exceeded
- Check that storage environment is clean, dry and that suits are duly accessible stored

### 2 Handling and Storage

Check that storage environment is clean, dry, has an even temperature (not below minus 30° Celsius), not exposed to direct sunlight and that suits are duly accessible stored. There should be no other object in the suit storage that could possibly harm the vacuum packages. Donning will be simplified when suits are stored at temperatures above 0° Celsius.

#### 3 Non-vacuum packed suits

- Check that sufficient number of suits of same mark and models are available in nonvacuum packed condition for the possibility to rehearse donning.